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Attn: Examiner Armando Rodriguez

Re: Obligation of Common Assignment Statement for  
U.S. Patent Nos.: 6690697, 6687274, 6728278, 6674776, and 6879306;  
Docket No. 85173A/SHS, Serial No. 10/767,713

Dear Examiner Rodriguez:

The following U.S. patents: 6,690,697; 6,687,274; 6,728,278; 6,674,776; 6,879,306; the subject application (10/767,713), and the parent application (10/272,611 filed October 16, 2002) were all commonly assigned or under an obligation to assign to the common assignee, Eastman Kodak Company, at the time the invention of the subject application was made.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Stephen H. Shaw'.

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